STUDENT
HANDBOOK

MARPLE-NEWTOWN
JOINT SECONDARY
SCHOOLS

1965-66

ALMA MATER

Lift your hearts to old M-N High
For the service she has done for thee.
Hail! Oh, Hail! Alma Mater dear,
With our songs of love and loyalty.
We survey with all pride and joy
Precious mem'ries of the days gone by,
And instilled in our lives we find
Ideals formed in Marple-Newtown High.

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Superintendent's Message

We are pleased to welcome you to another school year and to present you with this booklet.

Certain changes for this school year are evident within the pages of this booklet and within the secondary school system. Two junior high schools, grades 7 to 9, and one senior high school grades 10 to 12, as well as the new and renovated facilities in the senior high school are the major changes which are designed to provide better educational advantages for you. We are hopeful that you will take advantage of these improvements and profit from their intended use. We are sure that you will join the faculty and the administration of this school district to make it the best high school in the area.

As in past years, one handbook has been developed for our three secondary schools. The total overview of the secondary school program that this manual provides will aid you in planning your school experiences from grades 7 to 12. In it you may judge the path ahead and see the opportunities that are available to you through the efforts of your parents and the Board of School Directors. Here you may study the various selections of subjects that will prepare you for further education in college, commerce, industry, or the home.

In keeping with the spirit of America and our times, I am hopeful that you will carry as much work as you can, and that you will try to master the knowledge and skill essential for good citizenship in the world of tomorrow. By resolving to improve ourselves daily, each of us can make a significant contribution in achieving this goal.

I trust that each of you will respond to the challenge.

Kermit M. Stover, Superintendent

PART I

ADMINISTRATION

THE SCHOOL DAY

Classes are in session during the following times:

Marple-Newtown Senior High School
8:40 A.M. to 3:10 P.M.

Paxon Hollow Junior High School
8:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Marple-Newtown Junior High School
8:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Students may remain in the school building to attend to school business until 4:00 P.M. in Paxon Hollow High School, until 4:10 P.M. in the Junior High, and until 4:15 P.M. in the Senior High. Students remaining after these times must be under the direct supervision of a staff member.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Marple-Newtown Senior High School
8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Paxon Hollow Junior High School
7:40 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Marple-Newtown Junior High School
7:40 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

TELEPHONE ELgin 6-9400

ADMISSION TO SCHOOL

Admission to a Marple-Newtown Secondary School is automatic for those who have been regularly promoted from the previous grade. Students who have moved into Marple or Newtown Townships and have come from other schools must present their birth certificates and evidence of vaccination. A parent or legal guardian must accompany the student for registration.

Children of parents who intend to move into Marple or Newtown Townships shall be accepted and enrolled in the school system without payment of tuition for the first twenty (20) days of the school year.

Parents will assume responsibility for tuition if the move is not made by the 20th school day. Beginning with the 20th day, the parents must make montly payments of tuition in advance until such time as the parents occupy their new home and assume residence within the district. The student will be excluded from school on the 21st day unless tuition is paid.

Any student with the exception of kindergarten pupils, whose place of residence is moved from either Marple or Newtown Townships, may continue to attend the Marple-Newtown Joint Schools until the end of the year during which he moves, provided tuition as charged by the Marple-Newtown Joint Schools is paid for him in advance. However, tuition will be waived for a period less than 20 school days when it occurs at the end of the school year.

Any student who completes the junior year successfully and resides in the district

as a resident as of the last day of the school year shall be allowed to continue the senior year by paying tuition.

Tuition shall be paid in advance.

VISITORS

Visitors are most cordially welcome. All visitors are requested to call first at the school office upon entering the building where arrangements can be made to provide them with an escort and/or instructions. It is suggested that persons desiring to visit a staff member call the school office in advance for an appointment.

Students may not bring guests to school. Students and visitors are reminded that the school is a place of business and loitering on school property cannot be permitted.

TARDINESS

Students reporting to school after the late bell has rung shall not report directly to the first period class but shall report to the office of the Assistant Principal. No tardiness to school will be excused unless the student presents an acceptable note from home accounting for his tardiness. Repeated unexcused tardiness to school may result in suspension.

Students who are late to any class without an acceptable pass from a teacher, shall be reported to the Assistant Principal. Repeated tardiness to class will not be tolerated.

ATTENDANCE

It is required by the State Compulsory Attendance Laws that pupils be in attendance in school until age seventeen.

The only reasons for being absent from school are stated by the law as follows: (1) illness, (2) quarantine, (3) death in

immediate family, (4) impassable roads, (5) excused upon a Farm or Domestic Service Emergency Permit, (5) exceptionally urgent reasons such as affect the child and ordinarily do not include work at home.

Absences for reasons other than the aforementioned are unexcused and for pupils under seventeen are illegal.

If a pupil accumulates three days illegal absence, the parents of the pupil will receive official notification of "first offense" and any additional occurances of illegal absence may result in fine being imposed upon the parents.

Following an absence, pupils shall report to the office of the Assistant Principal with a note from the parent explaining the reason for absence. An admission slip will be issued to the pupil admitting the pupil to class and indicating whether the absence was excused or unexcused.

The admission slip must be presented to the first period teacher for admission to class.

Pupils shall not be permitted to make up work which was missed during a period of unexcused absence.

A doctor's note may be required for admission to school at any time the school authority deems it necessary. Failure to comply with such a request will cause the absence to be recorded as unexcused and for students under the age of seventeen (17), illegal.

Students who have been absent from school because of a communicable disease must present a doctor's certificate before they may be readmitted to school.

POLICY ON MAKEUP OF ASSIGNMENTS

Students are permitted and are expected to make up work missed during a period of excused absence from school. Teachers are anxious to assist students in this regard. However, the following time limits are to be enforced by all members of the faculty and respected by the students:

1. Work missed because of a short period of absence (one to three days shall be made up within five days following the return to school.

2. Work missed because of a prolonged absence shall be made up within a period of time not to exceed twice the number of days absent. It is the responsibility of the student to make arrangements with his teachers as to the time when all make-up work is to be completed. This time must be flexible in nature, but it is to the student's advantage to make up all work missed with all possible speed.

EARLY DISMISSAL

Early dismissal of students is permitted only for the same reasons as excused absence.

CHANGE OF RESIDENCE OR WITHDRAWAL FROM SCHOOL

Should a student change his residence, whether it be within the school district or to a new district, a report of the change must be made promptly at the main office.

If it becomes necessary to transfer the student to another school district, the following procedure should be used:

1. Notify teachers several days in advance; consult with the counselor.

2. Three days in advance of withdrawal notify the school office.

3. On the morning of the last day of attendance the student is to report before school to the school office to obtain a clearance form.

4. The student must have each of his teachers initial the clearance form indicating all matters have been cleared, and return it to the Office at the close of the last day of attendance. A transfer certificate will then be given to the student to take to the gaining school.

EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES

Minors between the ages of 16 and 18 years not attending school but securing permanent employment must obtain a General Employment Certificate. For some employers, an age certificate is required for minors between 18 and 21 years.

Applications for General Employment Certificates and age certificates may be obtained at the office of the Administrative Assistant in charge of pupil services.

Students between the ages of 14 and 18 who are employed in part-time work when school is not in session must obtain a Vacation Employment Certificate.

Applications for Vacation Employment Certificates may be obtained from the Senior High School office.

Applicants for employment certificates (working papers) should bring with them a birth certificate, baptismal certificate or some other documentary evidence of age when the application is initiated. Further instruction concernng the procedure will be given with the application.

Employment Certificates are issued to the employer and not to the pupil. Employment is not legal until the certificate is issued.

HOME BOUND INSTRUCTION

Pupils unable to attend school and confined to their homes because of illness or injury over a period of several months may apply for homebound instruction through the main office. Such applications are subject to approval by the State Dept. of Public Instruction.

EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSING

In the event that the schools must be closed because of an emergency such as bad weather conditions, an announcement of the closing of school will be made over WCAU and other Philadelphia radio and television stations. If no announcement is made, assume school is in session. Please do not call the school office.

MEDICAL SERVICES

The pupils at Marple-Newtown Schools are given medical and dental examinations. The records of this examination are filed by the school nurse and are available at any time. Parents are informed of the physical defects and in turn are advised to have these defects corrected by their physician.

Students participating in athletic contests are examined by the school doctor at the beginning of the current season.

In case of illness while attending school, the pupil shall obtain permission from the teacher to report to the nurse in the health room. In the event the nurse is not available, the pupil should report to the office.

The nurse shall decide whether or not the pupil is to be excused from school because of illness.

ACCIDENTS

Any pupil involved in an accident while on the school premises shall report immediately to the nurse. The nurse will take care of the pupil and record the details of the accident.

INSURANCE

All students of the Marple-Newtown Joint Schools are given an opportunity to purchase insurance. This insurance covers bodily injuries caused by an accident while attending school during the hours and on days when school is in session.

It also covers accidents which may occur while traveling directly between home and school for the purpose of attending or returning from regularly scheduled classes.

Students participating in athletic activities are required to have accident insurance.

PEDDLING

No pupil is permitted to sell articles, items, candy, or solicit orders or funds in the school building without permission from the principal.

TEXTBOOKS

Textbooks are purchased for the use of pupils at public expense. Each book is stamped on the inside of the front cover with space to record the date of issue, condition at issue and the pupil to whom the book is issued. Pupils are held responsible for damage to or loss of school books or school property. The loss of a book should be immediately reported to the subject teacher and the lost and found department. If the book cannot be found, the student will be assessed the cost

of the lost book. A depreciation factor of one fifth of the value for each year's use shall be deducted from the cost of the book. In no event shall the deduction exceed one half the cost of the book. Money will be refunded if lost books are later recovered.

Some form of covering must be placed on each book to help protect it.

TRANSPORTATION

Secondary school pupils will not be transported to and from school unless they live more than one and one-half (1½) miles from the school to which they are assigned. A list of those eligible to ride will be prepared, routes will be arranged and students assigned. Each student transported will then receive an Identification Card bearing his name, school and bus number.

The Identification Card must be carried at all times by the student and presented to the driver. If the card is lost, the student must procure a new one at the office.

All students using school buses are expected to do three things:

1. Show due courtesy to others riding in the buses.
2. Use your Identification Card only on the route for which it was intended.
3. Show proper regard for lawns and shrubbery whether at the school or at the loading point.

Students who remain late for activities must have an Activities Bus Pass as well as their regular bus pass in order to ride the late buses. The Activities Bus Pass is provided by the teacher in charge of the activity only to those students who have regular bus passes.

STUDY HALL REGULATIONS

The teacher will keep a record of the students assigned and check attendance each study period. The names of students not present will be reported to the office.

1. Students must come into the study hall quietly and go directly to their assigned seats and begin work.
2. Tardiness is not tolerated.
3. The study hall will be left in a neat and orderly condition. Waste paper will be deposited in the basket and the chairs will be arranged properly in their places before dismissal.
4. A limited number of pupils may go to the library on a pass from the study hall teacher.

HALL REGULATIONS

To create and maintain good order in halls and stairways at all times, students are asked to observe the following regulations:

1. Keep to the right and keep moving.
2. Move in single file on the stairways.
3. Refrain from running or whistling in the corridors.
4. At all times during the school day, except when classes are passing, pupils in the corridors must have in their possession a pass from the teacher to whom they are responsible. It is the duty of each student to maintain cleanliness in the halls and stairways.

CAFETERIA REGULATIONS

All students shall use the cafeteria for lunch unless they have written permission from their parents approved by the principal to do otherwise. Students may bring their lunch or purchase all or part of it as they desire. Students may use the rest rooms adjacent to the Cafeteria.

Students are requested to cooperate by observing the following procedures:

1. When entering or leaving, walk, never run.
2. Act as you would in your own home and treat others as you would a guest at home.
3. Books that are brought should be left in the shelves provided for this purpose rather than on tables.
4. Do not leave any dishes on the tables after eating.
5. Place all waste paper in the receptables provided for it.
6. Do not take articles of food out of the cafeteria. All eating is confined to the cafeteria.
7. All purchases must be made during your scheduled lunch periods.
8. Upon completion of eating, students may either remain in the cafeteria or go to designated areas.
9. Under no conditions are students to be in automobiles during school hours.

LOCKERS

At the beginning of each school year or entry, each student shall be assigned a locker in which to keep books, lunch and street clothing.

Students shall be assigned another locker in the locker room area for gymnasium and

athletic equipment. Combination locks are provided for all gymnasium lockers.

Locks will be issued from the general office. The administration and teachers are not responsible for the loss of money or property. It is the responsibility of students to keep lockers locked. Every student is required to have a school lock, and may not use personal locks. If combination is lost, student will be charged 25c for a New Combination.

Students are required to keep lockers clean, neat and locked at all times. Decals, stickers or other markings on the locker are prohibited. Students may not go to lockers during periods without teachers or office permission. Lockers will be inspected periodically.

CHEWING GUM

Chewing gum in school is considered a breach of courtesy and is not to be practiced in school.

SMOKING

Smoking by students on school property at any time is forbidden. Offenders will be suspended from school on the first offense. Students are not to bring tobacco in any form to school. Such articles will be confiscated and the offender punished. It is further requested that students do not smoke in areas near school property.

Attention is directed to SCHOOL LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA:

Article XXXV, Section 3503—Furnishing Cigarettes or Cigarette Papers to Minors—Whoever furnishes to any minor, by gift, sale or otherwise, any cigarettes or cigarette pap-

ers, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon being convicted thereof in a summary proceeding, shall be sentenced for the first offense to pay a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars ($25.), and, in default of the payment thereof, shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days; and for the second offence shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100); and for the third or subsequent offense shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500.), or to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one (1) year, or both. (Sec. 648, Act of June 24, 1939, P. L. 872.)

Section 3504—Failure of Minor to Divulge Information—Whoever, being a minor, and being in possession of a cigarette or of cigarette paper, and being by any police officer, constable, juvenile court officer, truant officer, or teacher in any school, asked where and from whom such cigarette or cigarette paper was obtained, refuses to furnish such information, shall, upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding, being of the age of sixteen (16) years or upwards, be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five dollars ($5.) or to undergo an imprisonment in the jail of the proper county not exceeding five (5) days, or both; or being under the age of sixteen (16) years, shall be certified by the magistrate to the juvenile court for such action as to said court shall seem proper. (Sec. 649, Act of June 24, 1939, P. L. 872.)

(The term 'minor,' when used in this act, shall mean any person under twenty-one years of age.)

DISCIPLINE

It is the desire of every growing person to become self-directing and self-disciplined. This process takes longer with some students. It is impossible to conduct normal classroom and school activities unless each person conducts himself properly at all times. If it is necessary for a student to be sent from a room, he shall report to the Assistant Principal's Office. Any pupil sent from a classroom may be suspended from school. Students suspended from classes may not make up work missed nor may they participate in school functions including athletics during the period of suspension.

ASSEMBLY

Assemblies will include professional entertainment, guest speakers, musical and dramatic programs, awards, pertinent films, and programs presented by classes and other school organizations.

Students are seated in the auditorium for assembly according to the instructions given by the teacher.

Compliance with the following rules will insure the proper atmosphere:

1. Enter the assembly quietly and orderly, proceeding to the assigned seats.
2. Be seated and wait for the program to begin.
3. Give immediate attention to the person in charge.
4. Give courteous and silent attention to the presiding officer and each speaker or performer.

5. Be generous with applause but it is discourteous to whistle.

6. At the close of the assembly, proceed orderly and quietly from the auditorium according to the instructions of the presiding officer.

LIBRARY

The library is for your convenience and benefit. If we adhere to the following rules it will provide for smooth running of the library and better service to you:

1. Opening and closing times for the libraries are as follows:
   Marple-Newtown Senior High School
   8:00 A.M. to 4:15 P.M.
   Paxon Hollow High School
   7:45 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.
   Marple-Newtown Junior High School
   7:45 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

2. A borrower's card is made out for each student and kept on file at the charging desk in the library.

3. Students will be admitted to the library at any time of the day upon presenting a pass issued by the classroom or study hall teacher.

4. Reference books, such as encyclopedias and dictionaries, and current magazines are to be used only to the library.

5. Books on reserve for a class may be used in the library during the day. At the end of the school day they may be taken for overnight use. They must be returned by 9:00 A.M. the following school day.

6. Unless otherwise marked, all books may be retained for two weeks.

7. A book may be renewed one time if necessary. Reserved books are not renewable.

8. No books or magazines are to be taken from the library without being charged to the borrower.

9. Injury to books beyond reasonable wear and all lost books are to be paid for.
10. Our system of fines will be posted in the library.

11. If a student is ill and out of school when his book becomes due, no charge will be made if the student brings in his Admit to Class Slip and returns the overdue book the day he returns to school. If this is not done, the regular fine for the overdue book will be charged.
12. A student may have three books charged his card at one time.

13. When returning books, it is the student's responsibility to see that proper credit is given.

14. Homework involving the use of textbooks is not to be done in the library.

STUDENT PICTURES

Photographs of all students will be taken during the school year. Students will be informed by their principal regarding the date.

At that time all students are requested to dress appropriately. Boys are to wear coats and ties with a white shirt. Girls may wear a sweater, blouse or dress as desired. Avoid excessive use of cosmetics.

FIRE DRILL

The sounding of the fire gong is the fire alarm signal. Fire drill instructions posted in each room will be thoroughly explained by the teacher in charge and the pupils will be required to familiarize themselves with the fire drill regulations of each room they occupy. All pupils will be required to follow these general instructions:

1. Pupils will not run but move rapidly and in single file to the proper exit.
2. The pupils as well as the teacher will see that all room windows and doors are closed.
3. ABSOLUTE MILITARY DISCIPLINE IS MANDATORY. NO TALKING DURING EXIT OR RE-ENTERING OF THE BUILDING. OBEY ALL DIRECTIONS OF STAFF MEMBERS WITHOUT QUESTION.
4. The first pupils to reach the outside doors of the building will open them and remain in charge of them until everyone in the building has made his exit.
5. Upon leaving the building each class will march single file to a distance of at least 50 feet from the building, keeping clear of driveways; there remain in single file formation until the return signal is given.

CIVIL DEFENSE DRILL

The signal for a Civil Defense Drill is the continuous intermittent ringing of the corridor bells for at least 60 seconds. The public address system may be utilized for special instructions. On signal, under the direction of the teacher, students will proceed to areas specifically designated in the building instructions. Detailed instructions will be given and posted in each building. The signal for the ALL CLEAR is the steady ringing of the bells for at least one minute duration.

STUDENT DRIVING

Students who drive to the Senior High School as a means of transportation must register their vehicles with the assistant principal in charge of student activities.

Pupils are not permitted to leave the school grounds during the school day, unless an emergency should arise and permission is granted by the Senior High School Principal or assistant principal. Pupils are also forbidden to eat lunch in cars or tamper with cars which belong to others. Other specific regulations concerning student use of vehicles are listed on the registration form.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost and found articles are to be turned in to the office. These items may be claimed by the owner on proper identification at the School Store.

STUDENT DRESS CODE

Students of other schools, and the public judge our school by what they see and hear. Extremes in dress, speech and conduct create an impression that is not complimentary and not in proportion to their number. For this reason the faculty and Student Council ask for the cooperation of all students and parents in complying with the code as set forth below.

I. Code for Girls:

A. Hair

1. Rollers and curlers are not to be worn in school or at school activities.
2. Extreme and untidy hairstyles are unacceptable.

B, Make-Up

1. Excessive eye make-up is not to be worn in school or at school activities.
2. Cosmetics are to be used in moderation.

C. Dress

1. Kilts and slacks may not be worn to school but are acceptable at outdoor activities only.
2. V-neck sweaters are to be worn with blouse or insert.
3. Tight fitting skirts and sweaters are not acceptable at any time.

II. Code for Boys:

1. Hair is to be trimmed and kept neat at all times.
2. T-shirts and shirts without collars are unacceptable at any time.
3. Tight and short trousers are not permissable.
4. Shirttails are to be tucked inside the trousers.

FINANCES

All funds relating to the educational program shall operate in accordance with the following regulations:

1. Each Special Fund Activity (SFA) may hold funds under its own management with proper supervision.
2. The Superintendent supervises all SFA.
3. The Business Manager is the Treasurer of all SFA and presents a monthly financial statement to the Board of Directors.
4. Each SFA functions under a Faculty Supervisor appointed by the Superintendent.

5. Each SFA may designate a Student Treasurer who functions under the Faculty Advisor.

6. The Business Manager shall make all deposits.

7. The Business Manager may, with the approval of the Board of Directors, invest the funds of the SFA.

8. Bids from three manufacturers must be received for all SFA expenditures exceeding $50.00. These are to be submitted to the Faculty Advisor by the Business Manager, and then to the Superintendent for final approval. When purchases in excess of $1,000 are to be made, the Business Manager advertises the bids for opening at a School Board meeting. When the award of the bid has been approved, the Faculty Advisor shall submit a requisition to the Superintendent for his approval.

9. All expenditures shall be requested by Payment Authorization Voucher, completed in duplicate, and signed by the Student Treasurer, Faculty Advisor, Principal, and the Superintendent.

10. The Business Manager will prepare duplicate checks for payment. The payee will receive the original. The duplicate copy of the check will be attached and filed in the Business Office with the original payment authorization voucher. The second copy of the payment authorization voucher will be sent to the Student Treasurer or Faculty Advisor who who will then record the expenditure in the Cash Disbursments Journal and file the payment authorization voucher in his student treasurer's book file for audit.

11. All monies (checks, money orders, cash, securities) received by the Student Treasurer should be recorded in the Cash Receipts Journal. All monies are to be transmitted in gross amount to the Business Manager. Each Student Treasurer shall prepare a deposit slip and forward it, with the money, to the Business Manager. He will return the receipted part of the deposit slip which is to be filed for audit.
12. All receipts and deposits shall be posted in an account book in order of their occurrence by date and with a balance. The Faculty Advisor will maintain custody of the account book. Student Treasurer, should maintain close touch with the Business Manager to keep accurate accounts.
13. All account books will be audited at the close of the school year, along with deposit slips, triplicate checks, and Payment Authorization Vouchers by the Business Manager and school district auditors.
14. All purchases using student activity funds shall be made on school purchase forms with the approval of the Faculty Advisor and the Principal or Asst. Principal.

PART II

SCHOOL PROGRAM

PROGRAM OF STUDIES

The organizational plan for Marple-Newtown Joint Secondary Schools places grades seven, eight and nine in each of the Junior High Schools and grades ten, eleven and twelve in the Senior High School.

The program of studies provides for continuation of fundamental subjects of most students in grades seven and eight. At grade nine, students are permitted to elect certain subjects according to their vocational plans, aptitudes, and interests. The opportunity for election of subjects becomes greater as the student progresses through the senior high level. At all grade levels, however, certain basic subjects are required of all pupils.

PROMOTION

Promotion from grades seven through nine shall be based upon successfully completing five major subjects or equivalents in minor subjects. Failure of both English and Mathematics in the same school year requires repeating the grade.

Promotion to grade eleven at the senior high shall be based upon successfully completing three and one-half units of credit in grade ten. Promotion to grade twelve shall require completion of a total of eight units in grades ten and eleven.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Marple-Newtown Joint School District will award a diploma of graduation to each student meeting the following requirements:

I. Satisfactory completion of twelve (12) units of study in grades ten, eleven, and twelve in addition to Physical Education and Health each year.

II. These twelve units shall include:

(a) Three (3) units in English

(b) Two (2) units in Social Studies including:

(1) One (1) unit in U.S. History

(2) One-half unit in World Cultures

(3) One-half unit in Economics.

(c) One (1) unit in Science

(d) One (1) unit in Mathematics

One unit is earned upon the successful completion of a subject requiring out-of-school preparation and meeting five periods or a minimum of 200 minutes per week. Subjects not requiring out-of-school preparation require eight (8) periods for one unit.

Sequence:

A total of nine of the twelve required units of credit shall be in sequences. A sequence consists of two or more units earned in a related field of study. For example, biology and chemistry constitute a sequence of two units in science. English 10, 11 and 12 constitute a sequence of three units.

Subject Offerings:

The offerings of subjects listed on the following pages are designed to give students the greatest amount of flexibility in selecting a program which will best meet their particular needs. Each student's program is constructed individually according to his plans and aptitudes and is subject to approval by the Guidance Counselor.

No credit will be given toward graduation for any foreign languages studied less than two years. All college bound students should complete three or four years of the same foreign language. No first year of a foreign language will be offered beyond the tenth grade.

7th GRADE Subject Offerings

Required	PPW
English and Spelling	5
Reading	2
History	3
Geography	2
General Science	4
General Mathematics	5
Phys. Ed. & Health	5
Homemaking or Industrial Arts	2
Art	2
Music	2
French	1
Assembly-Guidance	1
Literature	1
	35

8th GRADE Subject Offerings

Required	PPW
Reading	2
English and Spelling	5
History	3
Geography	2
General Science	4
General Mathematics	5
Homemaking or Industrial Arts	2
Art	2
Music	2
Assembly-Guidance	1
Phys. Ed. & Health	5
Typing	1
Literature	1
	35

Elective	PPW
French I	4
Latin I*	4
Algebra 1*	5

9th GRADE Subject Offerings

Required	ppw	units
English I	5	1
Penna. History and Civics	4	1
Earth & Space Science	5	1
Physical Ed. & Health	5	1/2
Homemaking or Industrial Arts	2	1/4
Music	1	1/8
Art	2	1/4
Typing	1	1/8

Elective	ppw	units
Russian I	5	1
French I (II*)	5	1
German I	5	1
Latin I (II*)	5	1
Spanish I	5	1
Algebra I	5	1
*Geometry SMSG	5	1
General Math.	5	1
*Biology (CP) (1 Art)	6	1
Junior Business Training	5	1

*Advance students only

10th GRADE Subject Offerings

Required	ppw	units
English II (CP) (Trm)	5	1
World History - Cultures	5	1
Biology (BSCS) (Trm)	7 5	1 1
Physical Ed. & Health	5	1/2
Music	1	1/8

Business Electives	ppw	units
Typing I	5	5/8
Business Mathematics	5	1

*Advanced students only

CP - College Preparatory

Trm - Terminal

College Prep Electives	ppw	units
*Physics PSSC	7	1
*Intermediate Math	5	1
Algebra II	5	1
French II, III	5	1
German I, II	5	1
Latin II, III	5	1
Spanish I, II	5	1
Russian II	5	1
Geometry (SMSG)	5	1

General Electives	ppw	units
Art Appreciation I	2	1/4
Art I	5	5/8
Homemaking	2	1/4
Homemaking I	5	5/8
Shop	2	1/4
Mechanical Drawing I	5	5/8
Vocal Music	2	1/4

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Driver Education

Behind-the-wheel driver training will be scheduled for all 11th grade students who have reached their 16th birthday and have a driver's permit, and by the 12th graders, who, due to age or other circumstances, were not able to receive such training during the 11th grade.

Accreditation

The Marple-Newtown High School is accredited by the State Department of Public Instruction and the Middle States Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges.

GUIDANCE

The Guidance Program of the Marple-Newtown Secondary Schools is organized in such a manner that each student has the same counselor in grades seven through nine, and the same counselor in grades ten through twelve. In the Junior High School, a girls' counselor has primary responsibility for all girls, while a boys' counselor is primarily responsible for the counseling with boys. In the Senior High School, the three classes are divided into thirds, and a counselor assigned to one-third of each class. Thus, at Senior High, each counselor is, at one and the same time, working with students in each of the three classes. Principal responsibilities of the guidance counselors are routine interviews, pre-arranged appointments with parents and students, job and college referrals, report card follow-up and testing.

In addition, the counseling staff plans and conducts large group guidance meetings. These instructional meetings are held on alternate weeks in each secondary school. Top-

ics of general interest are discussed with a complete grade or the total school population. Also, group guidance may be broken down into areas of special interest. Group guidance is primarily used to provide information and assistance leading to a sound educational and personal adjustment.

Individual counseling is the heart of the Guidance Program. The chief purpose of individual counseling is to assist pupils with a solution to their problems and to stimulate the pupil's capacity for self-direction and self-improvement.

The Guidance Department maintains a cumulative record on each student to provide counselors and teachers with a basis for assisting pupils to make choices, plans and decisions, and to help them obtain the maximum benefit from the instructional program. Test results are used in conjunction with all other information to indicate pupil's strengths and weaknesses.

Each student is assigned to a faculty advisor, who works closely with the regular guidance counselors. The adviser serves as liaison between the student and the counselor and between other members of the staff and the student. A close relationship between the adviser and the advisee provides an opportunity for the student to be known as an individual and promotes those close human relationships which are always associated with good schools. Faculty advisers will assist students in planning their educational and activity programs. Faculty advisers will meet regularly through-out the school year with their advisees in individual group meetings.

ASSIGNMENT OF COUNSELORS

Senior High School

A-Gl	Mr. Grubbs
Go-Op	Mr. Brown
Or-Z	Miss Speer

Marple-Newtown Junior High School

Boys' Counselor	Mr. Owens
Girls' Counselor	Mrs. Grundberg

Paxon Hollow Junior High School

Boys' Counselor	Mr. Gallagher
Girls' Counselor	Miss Conley

Students are free to consult with any counselor in addition to the one assigned.

MARKING SYSTEM

The academic year is divided into two semesters. There are three marking periods and a final examination each semester making four grades in all for the semester. The sum of the marking period grades counts ¾ of the total average and the final examination counts ¼ of the total average for the semester. The year's grade is the average of two semester grades. Parents of students who receive a grade of "D" or less for final grade in a major subject should seriously consider sending the student to summer school.

Our marking system is as follows:

A—94-100 Excellent
B—86-93 Above average
C—78-85 Average
D—70-77 Passing
E— -69 Failing

HONOR ROLL

Requirements for membership are as follows:

Honor Roll:

1. Grade of "B" or higher in each major subject.
2. Grade of "B" or higher in each minor subject (subjects which meet less than four periods per week and do not require regular homework preparation). One grade of "C" in a minor subject is acceptable.

Distinguished Honor Holl:

1. Grade of "A" in each major subject.
2. Requirements for minors are the same as for Honor Roll. (see #2 above).

DO'S

HELPFUL HINTS FOR HOME STUDY

1. Have a definite time for study every day — work on a schedule.
2. Select a quiet place, away from distractions.
3. Learn to concentrate — give all your attention to the work at hand.
4. Organize the contents, relating details to major topics.
5. Take notes on important points.
6. On long term assignments, organize early enough so that you can have a conference with the teacher before the project is due.
7. Have an assignment notebook and write down each assignment accurately as given.
8. Use a definite method in studying. Sur-

vey the lesson as a whole and review it by parts and learn the main points. Finally review it by parts and learn the main points. Finally review the whole lesson rapidly. Make a written outline for difficult and lengthy lessons.

a. *Memorization*: Learn the content as a whole and go over it rapidly first, then more carefully again and again until it is firmly and accurately fixed in your memory.

b. *Reading*: Look for the central idea in every paragraph and concentrate on remembering these ideas.

DON'TS

1. Keep putting it off or let other things interfere.
2. Attempt to study in a noisy atmosphere.
3. Divide your attention with radio, television, pets, friends or refreshments.
4. Merely skim the surface or read haphazardly.
5. Rely purely on memory.
6. Don't wait until you have failed your job to talk with your teacher or ask for help.
7. Assume that each subject area is to be studied in the same way. Your subject matter teachers will give specific suggestions.

AWARDS

The following awards have been given to members of the graduating class at commencement:

J. F. T. Lewis Award—School Citizenship.

Marple Township Women's Club Scholarships (2)—Scholarship, altruistic spirit, democratic behavior and loyalty.

Katherine E. Phillip Award by Newtown Township Women's Club—Outstanding Work in Social Studies.

Faculty Award—To be decided.

Aronimink Golf Club Award—Excellence in English.

Culbertson Citizenship Award—Civic responsibility in community and school.

Lions' Club Improvement Awards (2) Boy, Girl—Most improvement throughout high school.

B'Nai B'rith—Promoting interracial or interfaith understanding.

Marple-Newtown Education Association Scholarship—To be used by a graduate pursuing the teaching profession.

Rotary Club of Newtown Square Scholarship—Scholarship and leadership.

Rotary Club of Newtown Square Boy of the Year — Outstanding scholarship, leadership and ability to get along with others.

Parent-Teacher Association Scholarship—To further the education of a deserving student.

Junior Women's Club Girl of Year—For character, scholarship and participation in school activities.

Business and Professional Women's Club of Marple-Newtown Scholarships — To be used to further business or professional career.

Broomall Rotary Club Scholarship — To further the education of a deserving graduate pursuing a technical, vocational or business career.

Paul Rochberg Poetry Award.

Rest Haven Nursing Award—For girl following nursing career.

American Legion—For boy showing outstanding patriotism, honor, service, leadership, loyalty, courage.

Helen E. Yeingst Award—For the best Senior Essay.

Sears Roebuck Foundation Award — For outstanding Distributive Education student.

The Woman's Club of Newtown Square Art Scholarship—To be used by a graduate pursuing further training in art.

The Optimists' Club of Marple-Newtown Scholarship — (Boy) Character, scholarship, and citizenship.

MARPLE-NEWTOWN JOINT SCHOOLS

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DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Kermit M. Stover, Superintendent
Stephen Oselinsky, Administrative Assistant for Elementary Instruction
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Howard R. Frederick, Director for Public Relations and Personnel
Earl Miller, School Pychologist
Ida M. Kubel (Mrs.), Home and School Visitor

MARPLE-NEWTOWN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Sauers, Vincent J. ..... Principal
Bonder, Louis J. ..... Assistant Principal
Kingsbury, Keith II ..... Assistant Principal
Billet, Paul C. ..... Chemistry
Boettjer, Siegfried E. ..... German
Bordenkircher, Paul ..... Industrial Arts
Burleigh, Robert ..... Physics
Capriotti, William C. ..... English
Cochran, Stanley ..... Science
Colli, Dr. Olga M. ..... Spanish
Conley, John J. ..... History
DeWitt, Mary Lee (Mrs.) ..... French
Diaco, Arlene (Mrs.) ..... English
DiLauro, Joanne A. ..... French
Dobransky, Paul J. ..... Mathematics
Dye, Robert J. ..... English
Egner, Vera S. (Mrs.)
Health and Physical Education
Ekstrom, Thelma (Mrs.) ..... Science
Enck, Vance C., Jr. ..... English
Esch, John R. ..... Mathematics
Frieman, Dr. Walter E. ..... Latin
Fuoco, Mary Jane ..... Home Economics
George, Joseph D. ..... Business Education
Glumac, Dusan P. ..... Russian
Gwirtz, Richard E. ..... Music
Heinrich, David J. ..... Science
Henwood, James ..... History
Hill, Gail R. (Mrs.) ..... English
Hunter, Robert (Mrs.) ..... Business Education
Jeffrey, Thomas R. ..... Science
Johnston, Raymond ..... Industrial Arts

FACULTY OF THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (Cont'd)

Kemble, Dorothy M. — Mathematics
LaPenta, Virgil — Mathematics
Levin, Terese H. (Mrs.) — Mathematics
McGowan, John T. — Mathematics
Metka, John W. — Science
Michaelson, Norma (Mrs) — English
Miller, Kay (Mrs.) — Business Education
Miller, E. Lance — Physical Education (Aquatics)
Milne, James S. — History
Minacci, Peggy Ann (Mrs.) — Business Education
Morton, Cornelia (Mrs.) — Art
Oneil, Marghrita L. — Mathematics
Otten, Gyda Ann — Physics
Parkinson, Susan B. — Physical Education (Aquatics)
Riley, Georgeanna M. (Mrs.) — Librarian
Robinson, Philip — Distributive Education
Rochberg, Gene (Mrs.) — English
Rush, Edward T. — Driver Education
Sanelli, Thomas — History
Scott, William C. — History
Shaber, Sandra (Mrs.) — History
Shaw, Barbara R. (Mrs.) — Home Economics
Shores, Earl I. — History
Smith, Richard S. — Science
Stevenson Mildred (Mrs.) — English
Thompson, Jane H. (Mrs.) — History
Walters, Bernard — English
Watson, William S. — Health, Physical Ed. & Driver Ed.
Williams, David A. — History
Woerner, Virginia (Mrs.) — French
Woods, Joan R. — History
Yost, Walter — Driver Education
Caro, Edna (Mrs.) — Secretary
Roselli, Ann (Mrs.) — Secretary
Scherr, Elsie — Clerk

PAXON HOLLOW JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Hendrickson, Clifford ..... Principal
West, F. Harry ..... Assistant Principal
Alkus, Marilyn ..... Reading
Allison, Richard D. ..... History
Becker, Louise A. ..... Science
Tracy, Mary M. (Mrs.) ..... French
Campbell, Jane M. ..... Home Economics
Capotosto, Alfred B. ..... Science
Fiorini, Albert M. ..... Business Education
Garrett, James H., Jr. ..... Music
Helps, Mary W. (Mrs.) ..... Librarian
Janoski, Joanne C. ..... French
Kohlhepp, Sue J. ..... Science
Lamond, Ethelind (Mrs.) ..... Latin & English
Leirman, Sandra ..... English
Maiale, James V. ..... Special Education
McCollough, Gladys (Mrs.)
Health & Physical Education
Miller, Rita (Mrs.) ..... Mathematics
Milne, Judith Ann (Mrs.) ..... Mathematics
Myers, Richard H. ..... Science
Neidhardt, Erika J. ..... Art
Pittelli, Rudolph ..... Industrial Arts
Reed, Avis R. (Mrs.) ..... English
Reynolds, William J. ..... Geography
Rhodes, John D. ..... History
Sheely, Wayne A. ..... History
Shearn, Terence D.
Health and Physical Education
Snyder, Mary Louise ..... Mathematics
Temme, Donald F. ..... Mathematics
Weischedel, June L. ..... English
Williams, Stephen J. ..... Mathematics
Wolf, Virginia M. ..... English
McClung, Evelyn (Mrs.) ..... Secretary
Eicholtz, Florence (Mrs.) ..... Clerk

MARPLE-NEWTOWN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Hahn, Wilbur E. ..... Principal
Raffensperger, Edgar ..... Administration
Aiken, William J. ..... Mathematics
Barnes, James W. ..... Mathematics
Consalvo, Judith ..... Reading
Davis, Rolly A. ..... Chemistry
Dunn, Harry L. ..... History
Ellis, Grace (Mrs.) ..... Mathematics
Engelking, Ruth (Mrs.) ..... English
Erickson, Richard E. History and Geography
Farrell, Linda S. (Mrs.) ..... Mathematics
Garvey, Kathleen ..... English
Graham, Edward J. ..... Industrial Arts
Judy, Susanne K. ..... French
Kahn, Neal S. ..... History and Geography
Kaminsky, Suzanne M. ..... Art
Kershner, Earl O. ..... Geography and History
Manlove, Ruth C. ..... English
McAdams, Richard P., Jr. ..... Science
McHugh, Mary (Mrs.) ..... Business Education
Meade, Jeanne W. (Mrs.) English and Latin
Munsell, Robert W. ..... Science
Nash, John E., Jr. ..... English
Rickards, Gerald R. ..... Mathematics
Health & Physical Education
Richards, Gerald R. ..... Mathematics
Ritchie, Mary Ann (Mrs.) ..... Home Economics
Sarchet, Renee E. ..... English
Smith, Thomas B. ..... Music
Snyder, Austin I. ..... History & Geography
Wiener, Mark F. ..... Mathematics
Wilson, Celia Ann ..... Librarian
Kessler, Tobie (Mrs.) ..... Secretary
Rigby, Lois ..... Clerk

MARPLE-NEWTOWN JOINT SCHOOLS

CALENDAR — 1965-66

(All Dates are Inclusive)

Wednesday, September 1 — All new teachers report for orientation workshop.

Thursday, Friday and Tuesday, September 2, 3 and 7 — All teachers report.

Wednesday, September 8 — Pupils report to school.

Monday, September 27 — In-service workshop (Rosh Hashanah) (No school for pupils)

Wednesday, October 6 — County Institute (Yom Kippur) (No school for pupils).

Friday, November 19 — County Institute (No school for pupils).

Thursday and Friday, November 25 and 26 — Thanksgiving Vacation (No school).

Friday, December 24 to Friday, December 31 — Christmas Vacation (No school).

Thursday, Friday and Monday, Tuesday, April 7, 8, 11 and 12 — Easter Vacation (No school).

Monday, May 30 — Memorial Day (No school).

Thursday, June 16 — Last day of school for pupils.

Friday, June 17 — Last day of school for teachers.

MULTIPLE FACULTY ASSIGNMENTS

Alfonsi, Samuel P. ..... Reading
Ambrose, Mary Jo ..... German
Ayers, Ruth Ann (Mrs.) ..... English
Dunn, Margaret S. (Mrs.) ..... Science
Fetterman, Henry E. ..... Science
Giannini, Flora (Mrs.) ..... French-Spanish
Gibson, Dorothy B. (Mrs.) ..... Home Economics
Groff, Judith F. ..... Health-Physical Education
Hipple, Margaret Ann (Mrs.) ..... Art
Jones, James A. ..... Health-Physical Education-Science
Lucci, Dolores (Mrs.) ..... Spanish
Oberholtzer, Paul M. ..... Music
Rose, Dorothy ..... Health-Physical Education
Spadoni, Serita P. (Mrs.) ..... Spanish
Stauffer, Phillip P. ..... Industrial Arts
Wagner, Charles L. ..... Industrial Arts

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Bustard, James S.
Johnson, Doris (Mrs.)
Kent, Edward
Schultz, William J.
Smith, W. Ronald

DEPARTMENT HEADS FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS

DeRose, Dr. James V. ..... Science
Doran, Joseph L. ..... Music
Harvey, Harry R. (On Leave) Business Education
Kachur, Stephen E. ..... Foreign Languages
Lewis, Faye R. ..... Mathematics
Miller, Harold ..... History
Nye, Frances S. (Mrs.) ..... English
Pittman, Robert E. Physical Education and Health
Roth, Harvey ..... Art

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Dimmick, Bruce B. ..... Chairman
Brown, William T. ..... Senior H.S.
Conley, Elizabeth M. ..... Paxon Hollow
Gallagher, Alfred K. ..... Paxon Hollow
Grubbs, Edward F. ..... Senior H.S.
Grundberg, Jean (Mrs.) ..... Junior H.S.
Owens, Gordon N. ..... Junior H.S.
Speer, Anna J. ..... Senior H.S.

NURSES

Lewis, Gerda (Mrs.)
Mannino, Janice (Mrs.)
Markel, Dorothy (Mrs.)

DENTAL HYGIENIST

Weidenmann Aline

REPORTS

The school year is divided into six periods of six weeks each.

Period Ends	Reports Issued
1st — October 22	October 29
2nd — December 9	December 16
3rd — January 31	February 7
4th — March 15	March 22
5th — May 3	May 10
6th — June 16	June 20 (mailed)

The Blue copy of the report form should be returned within three days properly signed in ink by the pupil's parent or guardian. The signatures simply indicate an examination of the report has been made and does not necessarily indicate approval of the grades.

PART III

ACTIVITIES

Clubs and Organizations

MARPLE-NEWTOWN

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

BUILDING DIAGRAMS

BELL SCHEDULES

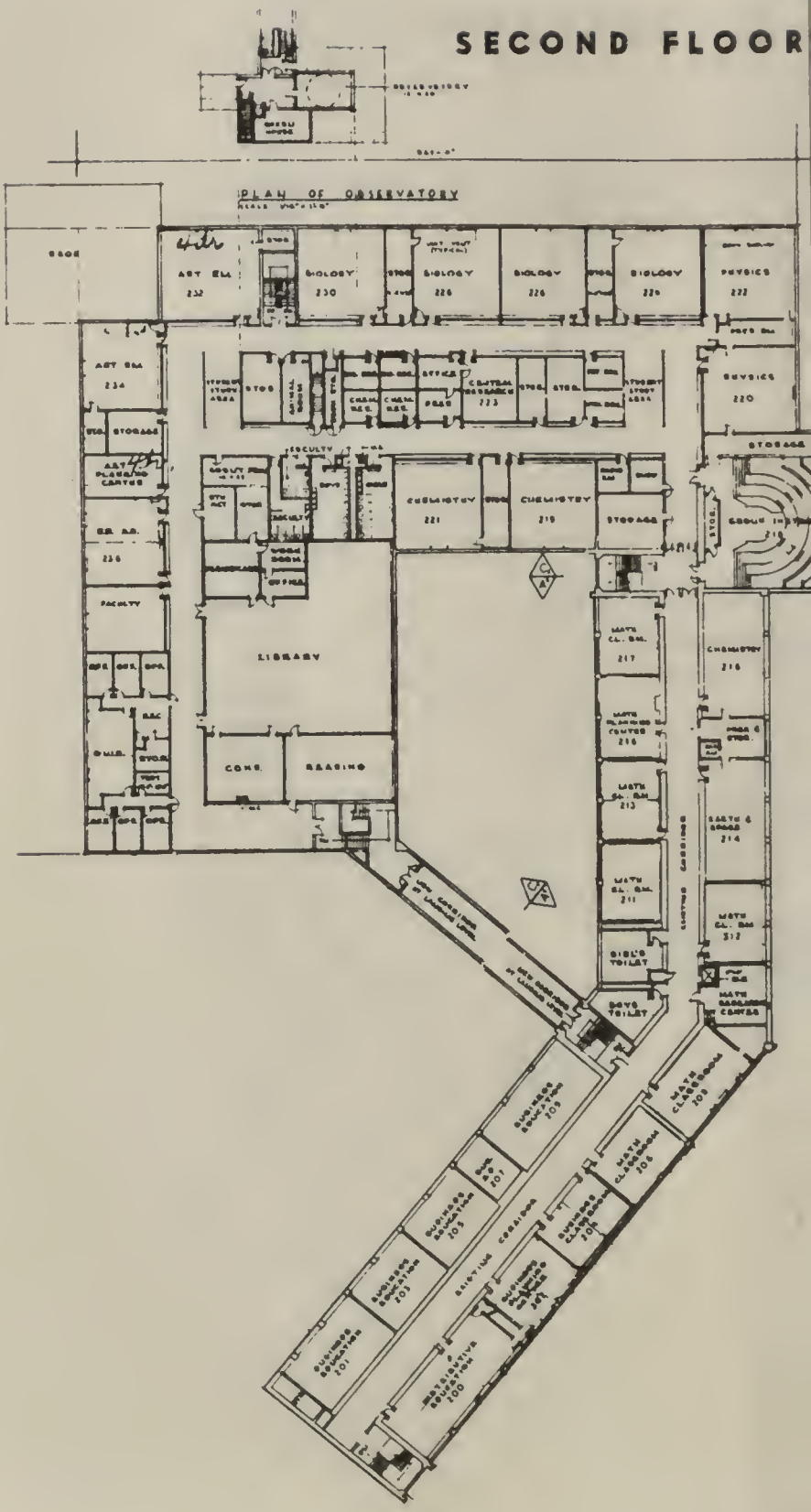
ACTIVITIES

AWARDS

FIRST FLOOR

AUDITORIUM
AUXILIARY GYM
CORRIDOR
ASSIST. GYMNASIUM
EXISTING GIRLS HALL
SECRETARY
OFFICE
OFFICES
GIRLS TOILET
BOYS TOILET
TEACHERS ROOM
HEALTH CL. RM.
HEALTH CL. GYM
GIRLS LOCKER ROOM
BOYS LOCKER RM.
TOILET
TRAINERS ROOM
HEALTH SUITE
ADMINISTRATION

SECOND FLOOR



MARPLE-NEWTOWN SENIOR HIGH HIGH SCHOOL BELL SCHEDULE

Regular Bell Schedule		Alternate Bell Schedule
7:55	Warning—Band and Chorus	7:35
8:00	Late Bell—Band and Chorus	8:00
8:35	Warning Classes	8:35
8:40	Late Bell Classes	8:40
9:20	Gym Bell	9:16
9:30	Period 1 ends	9:26
9:34	Period 2 begins	9:30
10:12	Gym Bell	10:08
10:22	Period 2 ends	10:18
10:26	Period 3 begins	10:22
11:04	Gym Bell	
11:14	Period 3 ends	11:02
11:18	Period 4 begins—4 lunch begins	11:06
11:46	4 lunch ends—5A begins	11:34
12:06	Period 4 ends	11:46
12:10	Period 5B begins—5 lunch begins	11:50
12:34	Period 5A ends	12:14
12:38	Period 6 begins—5 lunch ends	12:18
12:58	Period 5B ends—6 lunch begins	12:30
1:26	Period 6 ends	12:58
1:30	Period 7 begins	1:02
2:08	Gym Bell	
2:18	Period 7 ends	1:42
2:22	Period 8 begins	1:46
3:00	Gym Bell	
3:10	Period 8 ends (dismissal)	2:26
	Period 9 begins	2:30
	Period 9 ends (dismissal)	3:10
4:15	Unsupervised students leave building	

CHORUS

Students are urged to participate in this activity as it provides an excellent opportunity to develop the voice. The Chorus presents various programs throughout the year, especially, its participation in the Christmas Program and the Spring Concert. The chorus will rehearse every school morning from 8 until 8:35 in the music room.

BAND

For a number of years now, the Marple-Newtown Band has been tops. No football game is complete unless the band is there to pep things up. All students who have any musical ability have an excellent opportunity to try out for the band. The band performs at all football games, Spring Concert, Christmas Program and marches in holiday parades. The band will meet for rehearsal in the senior high band room from 8 to 8:35 every school day morning.

ORCHESTRA

Many students at Marple-Newtown seize the opportunity of not only playing in the Marching Band but also playing in the Orchestra. The Music Department encourages all students in grades nine through twelve to take advantage of the opportunity to participate in the Marple-Newtown secondary schools orchestra. The orchestra will meet for rehearsal in the senior high auditorium from 8 to 8:35 every school day morning.

SCOTT'S HI-Q

The Scott's Hi-Q is sponsored by the Scott Paper Company. The Marple-Newtown Joint High School competes with 22 other high schools in this area. General as well as specific questions are asked in the various fields of education. The top five students in scholastic standing represent the Marple-Newtown

Joint High School in these competitions.

HI-Y

Hi-Y is a voluntary club program for boys in the 10th, 11th, and 12th grades of the Senior High School, sponsored by the Young Men's Christian Association. Its name is a combination of the term "high-school YMCA." The Hi-Y movement is international in scope, Christian in emphasis, interdenominational in character and democratic in practice.

TRI-HI-Y

The purpose of the Tri-Hi-Y Club is to "create, maintain, and extend Christian ideals throughout school" and is sponsored by the YMCA. Because of having only one sponsor at Marple-Newtown High School, it has a limited membership of from 40 to 50 students. The girls hold a Sadie Hawkins Dance and sell Easter Eggs to raise money to donate to various causes. They visit an orphanage in Chester at Christmas, and make favors for convalescent homes. They also contribute to charitable organizations. The money left is then used to sponsor a Mother-Daughter Banquet in May, at which time an installation service is held for new officers.

STAGE CREW

The Stage Crew is a selected group of students organized to control all activities taking place on stage. This organization is open to all students in the Senior High Schoool. It is divided into four main groups — Lighting, Audio, Visual Aids, and Scenery.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

The Jay W. Worrall Club of Marple-Newtown is a chartered local chapter of the state-wide organization, the Pennsylvania Future Teachers of America. The PFTA is sponsored by the Pennsylvania State Educa-

tion Association and the National Education Association. The purpose of the club is to give young people the opportunity to explore the nature of teaching. It seeks to give an accurate picture of the requirements and the opportunities in the teaching profession. It helps young people to decide whether or not to enter the teaching profession. In short, it serves to emphasize that "only the best should teach."

FUTURE NURSES

The Future Nurses Club was organized for the benefit of students who are interested in the nursing profession. This organization enables members to meet and explore the opportunities in nursing as well as evaluate their own interests and abilities in relation to this field.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

Membership is open to all Senior High School students. Chapter awards are available only to students who have continued homemaking past the Junior High School level. The purpose of the Future Homemakers of America Club is to afford its members the opportunity to develop initiative and to learn democratic procedures in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking.

AMERICAN FIELD SERVICE

The American Field Service is a private non-profit, educational organization whose purpose is the furthering of understanding and good will among the peoples of the world. It carries out this purpose by bringing teen-age students from abroad to study in American high schools and sending American high school students abroad for either a summer or a school term. The AFS Club at Marple-Newtown sponsors dances, bake sales, and many other fund raising projects

besides the AFS bookstore which handles most of the required reading needed in school. Their job is to make the foreign student feel at home, to arrange activities involving many foreign students, and to raise money to support the program.

CHEERLEADERS

This group is composed of juniors and seniors whose purpose it is to direct the energies of the student body into the avenues of fine school spirit and good citizenship. They must exhibit excellent coordination, pleasant manner, dependability, cooperativeness, leadership and good school citizenship.

DEBATING

Membership in this activity is composed of those students who have a keen interest, not only in the world about them, but in logic and argumentation. It not only develops the ability to speak before groups, but the ability to organize, to advance and retreat in the arena of verbal exchange. Debates are arranged with other schools and in local institutions of higher education.

SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Club arranges for speakers and demonstrations on special topics of interest. It provides opportunity for students to carry on further investigations in the area of their interests. Its activities are designed to encourage students to develop techniques employed by scientists in their daily work.

ART CLUB

Much of the art work about the school is done by students interested in art and members of the art club. The art work in school plays, and art work commemorating national

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THE OCTAGON

Two issues of the literary magazine are published each year. Its purpose is to give expression to the imaginative and creative. In its pages are found short stories, poems, prose, and essays. The membership is limited to those students who have shown talent and interest in the area of original writing. It provides another outlet for students talented in art through illustrations.

MU ALPHA THETA MATHEMATICS CLUB

The Marple-Newtown Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta was formed to create keener interest in mathematics, to develop sound scholarship, in the subject, and to promote enjoyment of mathematics among our students. The club meets bi-monthly to discuss modern and advanced topics in mathematics. Students select topics of interest for presentation to the group and act as moderators for panel discussions.

LANGUAGE CLUB

The activities of the group are designed to promote a greater interest in foreign languages, and to give students an opportunity to pursue selections in a language of their own interest. Time is given to a comparative study of various languages. Effort is directed specifically toward developing conversational ability in the language.

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION CLUB

Distributive Education has to do with an understanding of marketing, and a development of marketable skills. It is closely allied with businesses in the local Community in an effort to locate students in positions that

conform with their interest. Speakers are often engaged from the business world to acquaint students with the nature of business and its methods and purposes. Complete life situations give students an opportunity to develop character traits that will be valuable all of their adult life.

MARPLE-NEWTOWN

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

ATHLETICS

INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS

I. Eligibility Rules

Please refer to the Constitution and By-Laws for complete coverage.

A. A pupil is ineligible for competition upon attaining the age of 19 years with the following exceptions:

1. If 19 is attained **on or after September 1,** the pupil is eligible to compete through the **Fall** sports season.
2. If 19 is attained **on or after November 15,** the pupil is eligible through the **Winter** season.
3. If 19 is attained **on or after March 1,** the pupil is eligible through the **Spring** season.

B. A pupil must be an amateur to be eligible to participate.

C. A pupil who has been absent from school during a semester for a total of **20 or more school days shall not be eligible until he has been in attendance** for a total of **60 days** following his 20th day of absence except where there has been a consecutive absence of five or more days, due to illness, injury, or quarantine, such absence may be waived by the district committee.

D. A certificate of consent signed by the parent must be on file before a pupil shall be eligible for practice.

E A physical examination is required **before each** sport season.

F. A pupil transferring from one school district to another is eligible immediately when the pupil resides with his natural parents or either parent within the district to which he transfers.

G. A pupil transferring within a school district is eligible when he is transferred for ad-

ministrative purposes; otherwise, he is eligible when he has been a member of the new school for a total of 90 school days.

H. A pupil who has belonged to a secondary school outside the district in which his parent or guardian resides, shall be eligible if and when he transfers back to his home school district and has been a member for a total of 90 school days.

I. A pupil may not participate if he's been in attendance more than eight semesters beyond eighth grade, or has played four seasons beyond eighth grade in any one sport.

J. A pupil is considered representing his school during a sport or season only if he has participated in a game.

K. Any **member of a high school team,** who **participates in a game as a member of any other similar team** during the same season (beginning with the school's first scheduled game and including vacations, etc.) shall be **ineligible** to compete in that season. (Waiver may be obtained on golf, tennis, gymnastics, swimming, baseball, volleyball, and table tennis.)

L. To be eligible a pupil must **maintain a passing grade** for the semester in at least three, or the equivalent, **full credit subjects.** Such grades shall be determined every week during the semester.

M. In order to be eligible a pupil **must have passed three full credit subjects,** or the equivalent, during the **preceding semester.** A pupil who has not met these requirements shall be ineligible before October 10 of the first semester, and March 10 of the second.

N. All provisions and regulations of the Constitution and By-Laws of the P.I.A.A. shall apply to girls' athletics as well as to boys.

SENIOR HIGH

INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

Boys	Girls
Baseball	Basketball
Basketball	Hockey
Cross Country	LaCrosse
Football	Softball
Soccer	Swimming
Swimming	Tennis
Wrestling	
Track and Field	
Tennis	

INTRAMURAL PROGRAM

Intramural sports are scheduled during the fall, winter and spring season. All students not participating in an interscholastic sport are encouraged to participate in the intramural program.

CHEERS AND SONGS

FIGHT TEAM FIGHT

Fight team fight
Fight team fight
Fight team, fight team
Fight, fight, fight.

VICTORY SONG

(Tune of Wisconsin's Alma Mater)

Marple-Newtown, Marple-Newtown
That's the school for me
Though the game is rough and tough,
We'll fight to victory,
Ever onward, ever onward,
Black and Orange too,
We'll tackle, block,
And then we'll plunge right through, RAH!

TIGER FIGHT SONG

We're going to fight (clap) fight (clap)
fight (clap) fight (clap) (clap)
Watch that Tiger he's going to score
We're going to fight (clap) fight (clap)
fight (clap) fight (clap) (clap)
Give that good old Tiger roar - - - ROAR
C'mon and fight (clap) fight (clap) fight
(clap) fight (clap) (clap)
Hold that Tiger if you can
We're going to fight (clap) fight (clap)
fight (clap) fight (clap) fight (clap)
Fight (clap) - - - every man

AX YELL

Give 'em the ax, the ax, the ax
Give 'em the ax, the ax, the ax
Give 'em the ax,
Give 'em the ax,
Give 'em the ax, Where?
Right in the neck, the neck, the neck,
Right in the neck, the neck, the neck,
Right in the neck, right in the neck,
Right in the neck, WHO?
(OPPONENT)

BLOOD AND THUNDER YELL

Give 'em blood and give 'em thunder
Knock 'em down and Plow 'em under,
Hit 'em high
Hit 'em low
Come on M-N, let's go.

THE OLD FIGHT

The old fight, the old fight
The old M-N fight
The old fight, the old fight
The old M-N fight
With an F and F and F I G
With a G and G and G H T
F I G H T, FIGHT!

SWING YELL

Squad—Hey, Gang
Gang—Yea?
Squad—What's the matter with the Team?
Gang—The Team's all right
Squad—What's the matter with the Team?
Gang—The Team"s all right
Squad—Is the Team all right?
Gang—Oh, Yeah Man.
Squad—All right then, all right then,
Let's have 20 cheers for the good old team
Everyone—Rah, Rah — Rah — rah — rah
(same)
Team, team — team — team — team
Hey Gang — Yeah? — The team's all right

TIGERS YELL

Give me a T — T
Give me an I — I
Give me a T — T
(same) — I — I
— G — G
— E — E
— R — R
— S — S
Tigers - Tigers - Yes - Yes - Yes

CHEER FOR THE TEAM

Come on Orange,
Come on Black
Come on M-N!
Fight Back!

M-N TIGERS FIGHT

M-N Tigers fight
M-N Tigers fight
M-N Tigers Time to Fight
Dig in your claws and hold them tight
Fight — Team Fight

TEAM LOCOMOTIVE

T — E — A — M
T — E — A — M
T — E — A — M
Team — Team — Team

LINE YELL

Hold that line
Hold that line
Come on M-N
Hold that LINE

VICTORY YELL

For V — for I for CTORY
For V — for I for CTORY
V — I — C — T — O — R — Y
Fight!

TEAM YELL

T E A M (clap)
T E A M (clap)
Shoot 'em high,
Pass 'em low
Come on M-N
T E A M
Yea, Team Fight.

M-N WILL SHINE

M-N will shine tonight, M-N will shine
We'll shine our beauty bright
All down the line!
We're all dressed up tonight
Don't we look fine, When the sun goes down
and the moon comes up,
M-N will shine!

FOOTBALL SONG

(Tune of Pennsylvania Song)
Fight on, Marple-Newtown,
Put the ball across the line,
Fight on Marple-Newtown,
There it goes across this time.
Come on, team, we're with you,
And we're cheering for your men
Then, it's fight — fight — fight,
Marple-Newtown,
Fight on, M-N

THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

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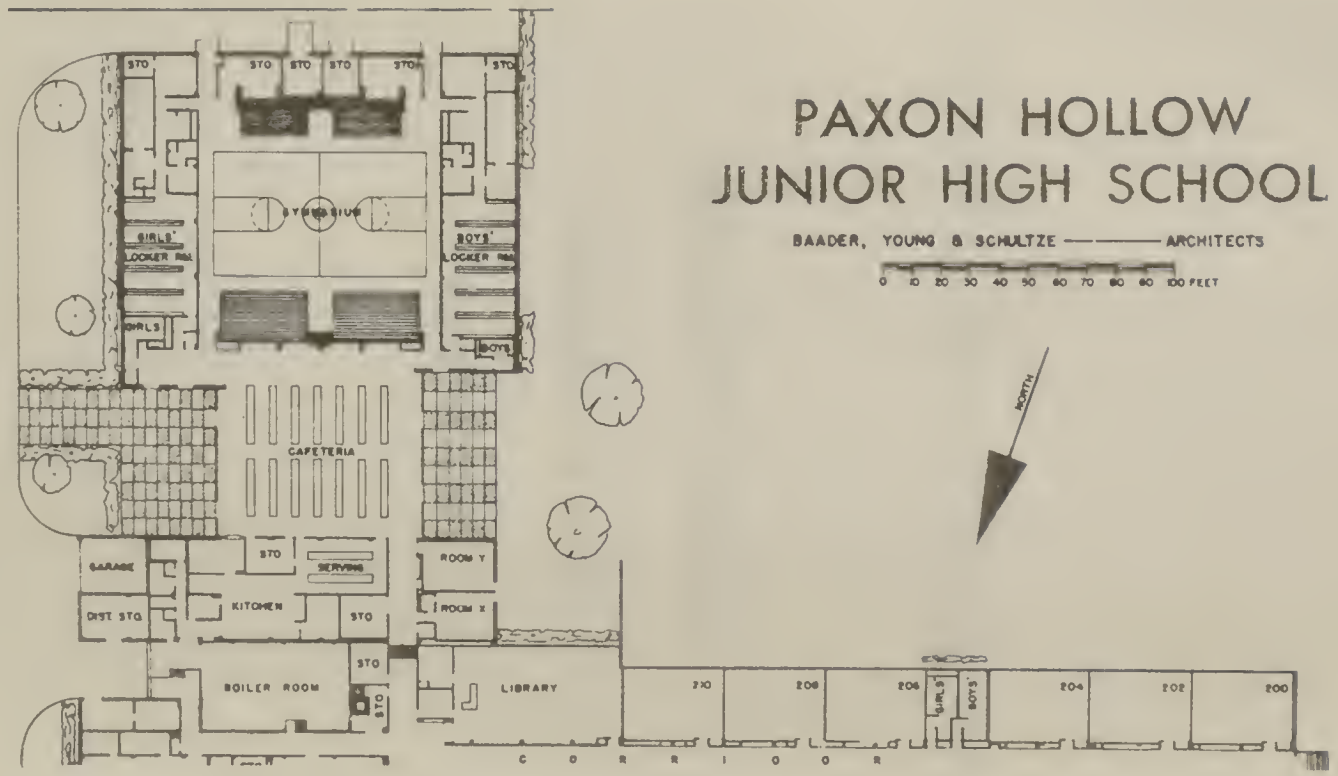
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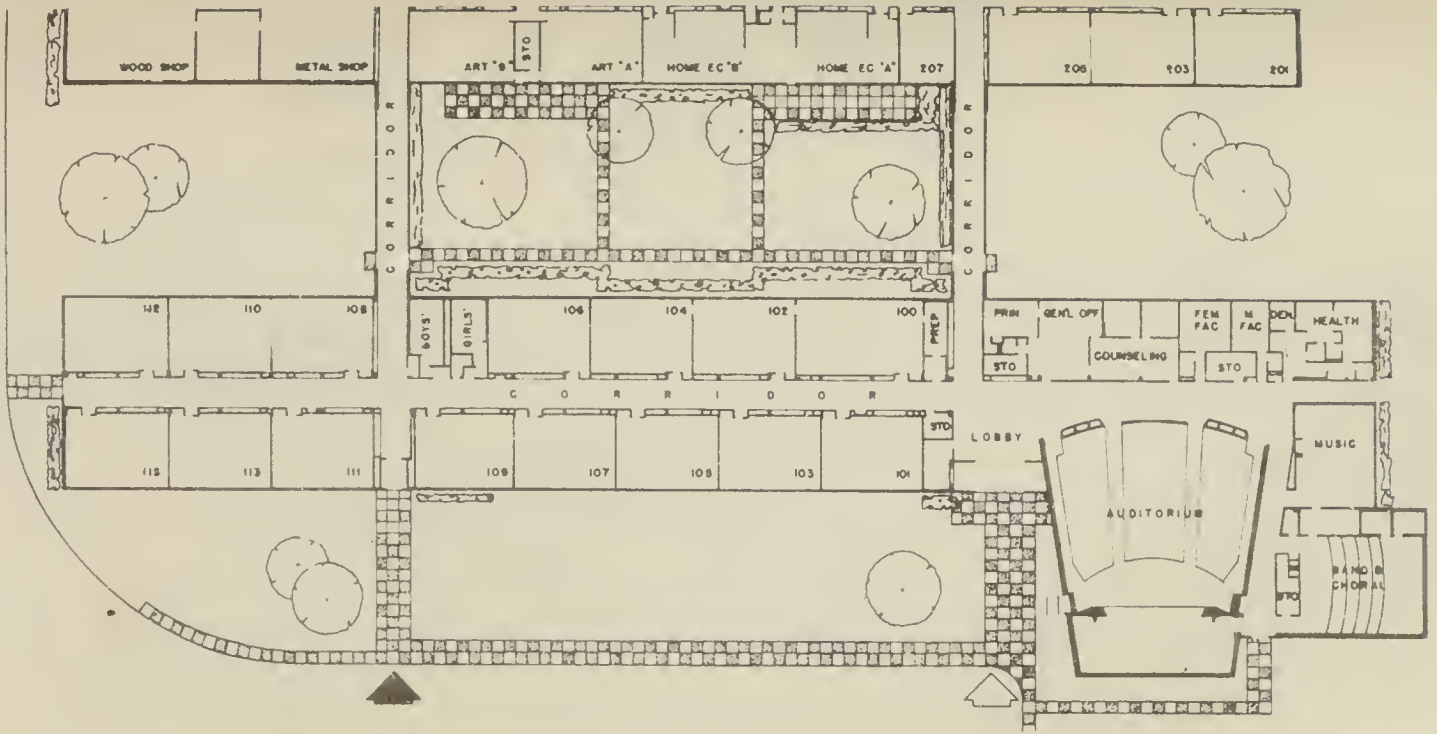
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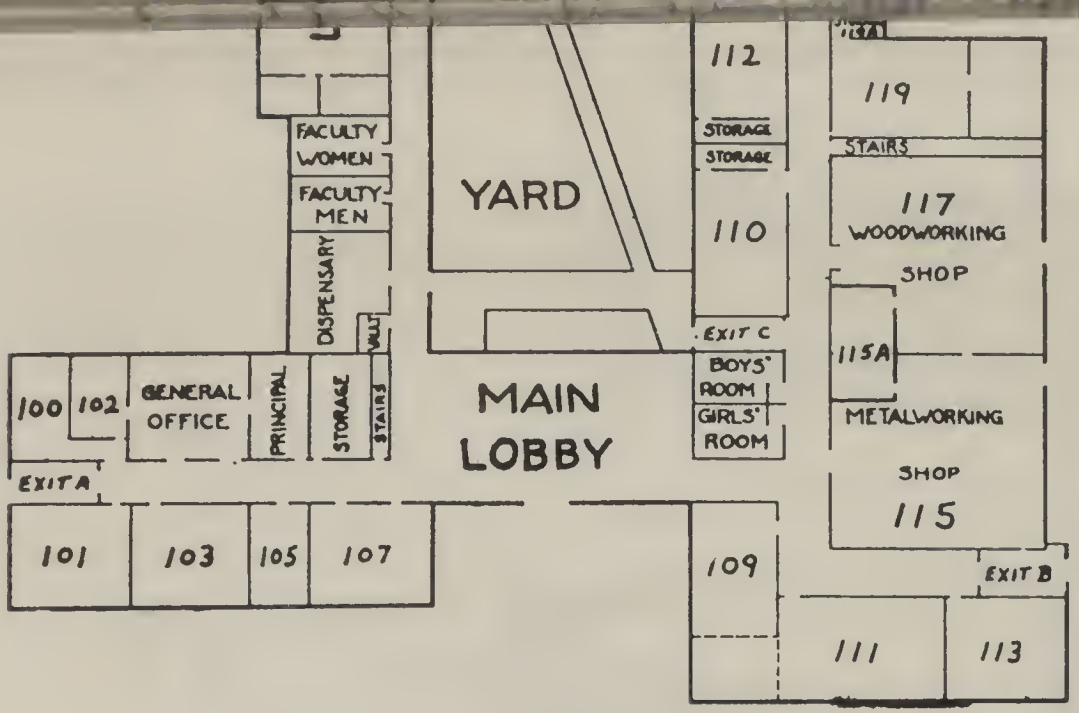

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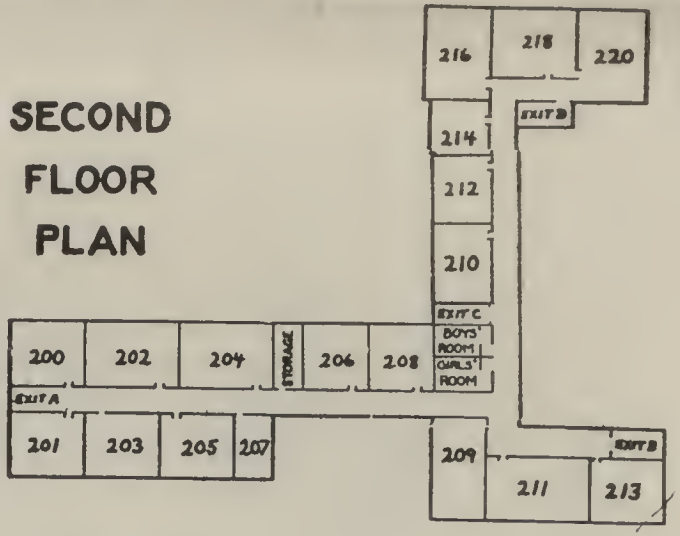

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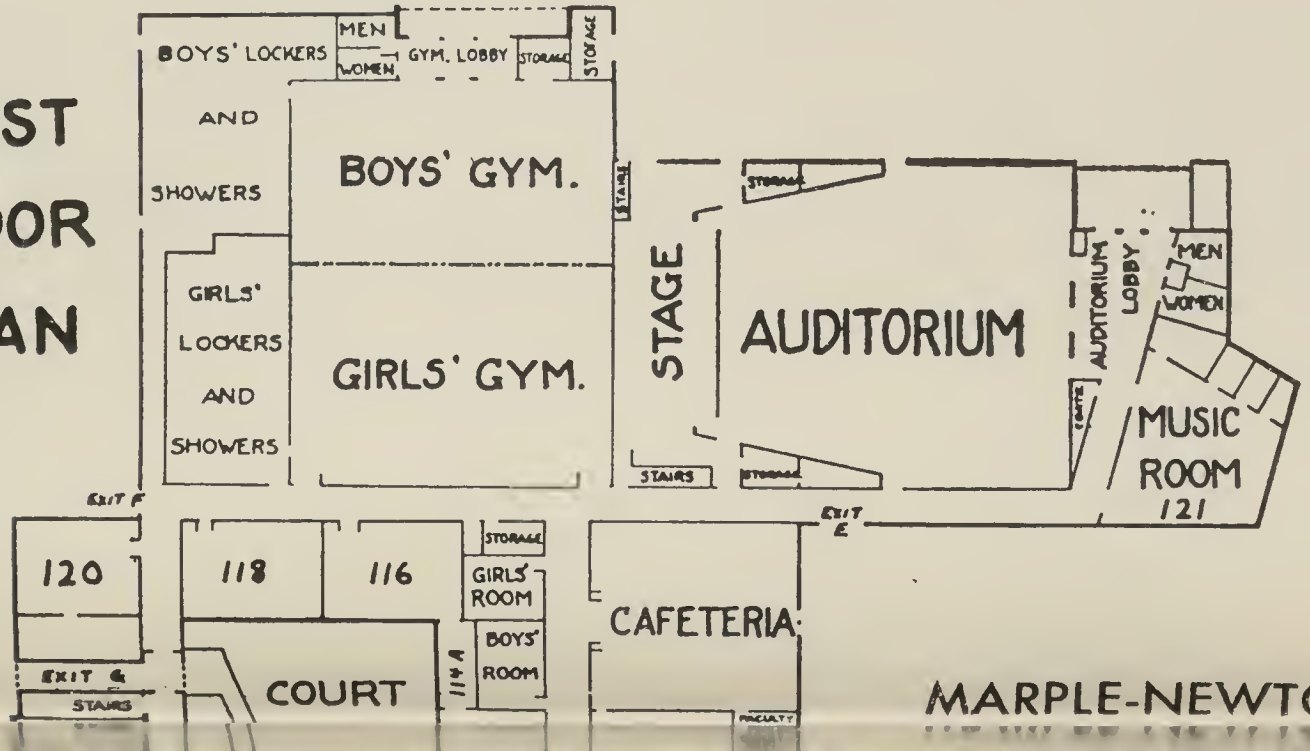

MARPLE-NEWTOWN

JUNIOR HIGH BELL SCHEDULES

7th, 8th and 9th Grades

7:55 Warning Bell
8:00 Late Bell Begins 1st Period
8:51 1st Period Ends
8:55 2nd Period Begins
9:42 2nd Period Ends
9:46 3rd Period Begins
10:33 3rd Period Ends

7th Grade

10:37-11:24 4th Period
11:28-11:55 Lunch (B)
11:59-12:56 5th Per. & Penmanship
1:00- 1:42 6th Period
1:46- 2:30 7th Period

8th Grade

10:37-11:24 4th Period
11:28-12:14 5th Period
12:18-12:46 Lunch (C)
12:50- 1:38 6th Period
1:42- 2:30 7th Period

9th Grade

10:37-11:04 Lunch (A)
11:08-11:55 4th Period
11:59-12:46 5th Period
12:50- 1:38 6th Period
1:42- 2:30 7th Period

Assembly Bell Schedule

7:55 Warning Bell
8:00 Late Bell Begin 1st Period
8:38 1st Period Ends
8:41 Assembly - Guidance Begins
9:21 Assembly - Guidance Ends
9:24 2nd Period Begins
10:02 2nd Period Ends
10:05 3rd Period Begins
10:43 3rd Period Ends
10:46 4th Period Begins 7th & 8th Grades
10:46 "A" Lunch Begins (9th Grade)
11:14 "A" Lunch Ends
11:17 4th Period Begins for "A" Lunch
11:55 4th Period Ends for "A" Lunch

PAXON HOLLOW ACTIVITIES

SCHOOL COLORS—Black and Gold

MASCOT—Jaguar

SCHOOL STORE

The school store is operated by the Student Council and is located adjacent to the cafeteria. For the convenience of the students it is open at each lunch period.

MARPLE-NEWTOWN JUNIOR HIGH

SCHOOL COLORS — Green and White

MASCOT — Panther

SCHOOL STORE

The school store is operated by the Student Council and is located adjacent to the Principal's offices. For the convenience of the students it is open at each lunch period.

LUNCHES

Any student forgetting his lunch may pick it up in the school office. However, the student will have to do this on his own because classes will not be interrupted to inform students their lunch has been delivered. Please make necessary arrangements regarding this matter before any lunch is forgotten.

TELEPHONES

Telephone messages will not be relayed to students except in situations of an emergency nature. Also, office telephones are for business use only and students must use pay telephones for all outgoing telephone calls.

CHEERLEADING

Cheerleaders are chosen in the early fall by a committee of teachers. The requirements for membership are:

(a) Cheering Ability
(b) Scholastic Ability
(c) Willingness to serve for all sports

Any violation of "Code of Ethics for Cheerleaders" and more than two (2) unexcused or three (3) excused absences from games or practices will be reason for dismissal from the squad.

CHOIR

Some of the purposes of this organization are to develop fine singing voices, to develop a feeling of warmth and unity among students and to express feelings through beautiful music ultimately to help unite the entire community.

Membership in the Choir is open to all students who are interested in vocal music. This rapidly growing musical organization presents an annual Christmas program and a Spring Concert as well as selected programs during the school year. Rehearsals are held regularly throughout the year before school each day in the Band Room. Students who are desirous of becoming members should contact the teacher of vocal music.

BAND

Students who have interest and ability in instrumental music have the opportunity to establish membership in the Junior High Band. Students in the seventh, eighth or ninth grade may join. Band rehearsals are held daily from 7:15 until 8:00 A.M. The bands perform at various athletic events and school and community functions during the

school year as well as at scheduled concerts within the school district. Students interested in becoming members should contact a teacher of music or the school office.

ORCHESTRA

The Junior High Orchestra offers membership to students who show interest and demonstrate ability in instrumental music. This organization performs regularly throughout the school year. Rehearsals are held after school from 2:30 to 3:30 P.M. Students interested in membership should contact a music teacher or the school office.

DRAMATICS

The dramatics club membership is open to all students interested in any phase of play production including acting, stage properties, directing, etc. This club will present two plays during the school year as well as many assembly cuttings.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The Future Homemakers of America is a national organization for any student who is taking a homemaking course. FHA is a part of the homemaking program and provides an opportunity for its members to have additional experience in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking. The overall goal of FHA is to help individuals improve personal, family and community living, now and in the future.

FUTURE NURSES CLUB

The Future Nurses Club was organized for students who are interested in the nursing profession. This organization enables members to meet and explore the opportunities in nursing as well as evaluate their own interests and abilities in relation to this field.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

The Paxon Hollow chapter of FTA is part of a national association of high school students who are interested in teaching as a career. Through discussion, films and visits, members study and identify the qualities, traits and aptitudes which are necessary to successful teaching. This club is open to 9th graders only.

SCHOOL NEWSPAPER

The newspaper represents the students themselves and has been able, by keeping the cost low, to reach almost everyone in the Junior High School. Staff members are selected on the basis of journalistic ability and interest coupled with willingness to work several days each month on meeting the newspaper deadlines.

LIBRARY CLUB

The primary objective of the Library Club is service to the school. The Library Aides assist in the circulation of books, in keeping them in order, and in processing new books. These are important functions of the Library, since all students need the resources of the Library in the pursuance of reference work and class reading requirements. Library Aides must be intelligent and reliable people, willing to give up study periods and work after school.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

The Photography Club is composed of students who own a camera and have an interest in photography. The purpose of the club is to give students a better insight of photography. Students may learn procedures in developing photographs and new techniques in the taking of pictures. Students may submit photographs of various activities

or clubs for possible use in the school newspaper.

SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Club is for all Spanish students who are interested in learning more about the people of Spanish countries and their customs. The club activities include showing of films and slides by students and faculty members who have visited Spanish countries. Other cultural activities are also included.

SKI AND TOBOGGAN CLUB*

This is a seasonal club that will meet once a month in addition to any snowy days. It is hoped that students will gain enjoyment and knowledge of these two sports.

STAMP AND COIN CLUB

The Stamp and Coin Club is open to all students who are interested in collecting stamps and/or coins. The club is for the beginning as well as advanced collector and gives the members an opportunity to bring their collections up to date.

LATIN CLUB

The purpose of the Latin Club is to learn more about and get enjoyment from Latin. The club meets twice each month during the school year and sponsors five functions during the school year.

STAGE CREW

Members of the service club are trained to handle and operate school audiovisual equipment used in the auditorium, prepare and operate the stage equipment for programs, and provide services as needed for school activities.

Desire to learn, willingness to work, and

dependability are the most important qualifications for membership.

On some occasions service club members will be called upon for duty in the evening as well as weekends. Service certificates and other awards are made at the end of the school year.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Organization and purpose: The purpose of this organization is to:

(a) Create a closer cooperation between the Administration, the Faculty and the student body.

(b) Promote a finer school spirit and program of participation based upon student will and effort.

(c) Provide a forum for student expression.

The members of the student council consists of one representative from each Social Studies section and the elected officers of the council. Each representative shall have an alternate to serve in his absence. The election of representatives and alternates shall take place during the first month of school. Officers shall consist of a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. Except that any candidate for the office of President must be a member of the 9th grade and must have previously served on Council, nominees may be any bona fide student of the school.

JUNIOR HIGH ATHLETICS

The athletic program at our school is planned to give as many pupils as possible an opportunity to participate. Schedules have been provided for the following teams to compete in interscholastic competition:

Boys	Girls
Fall	
Football	Hockey
100-lb. weight team	J. V. Hockey
125-lb. weight team	
Soccer	
Winter	
Basketball	Basketball
J. V. Basketball	J. V. Basketball
Wrestling	
Spring	
Baseball	
J. V. Baseball	
Track and Field	

To be eligible for interscholastic competition a pupil must pursue a curriculum approved by the principal and must maintain for the current semester, or term, a passing grade in at least three full credit subjects, or the equivalent.

A team member MUST be in school attendance during the day of an athletic contest.

Students may not participate in Junior High School sports for more than three years, or after they reach the age of 16.

Athletic awards are as follows:

A certificate properly filled out is issued for each monogram or insignia.

All athletic awards and the accompanying certificate of athletic merit are awarded to an athlete who participates in a minimum of sixty percent of the periods of the games played during any interscholastic sport scheduled for any one season. (A schedule shall include five regular scheduled games). Athletic awards must be recommended by the respective coaches, with the approval of the principal. Team managers shall receive the award of the team for one year of man-

agerial service, after being recommended by the coach. No similar award shall ever be presented more than once.

In baseball, the pitchers are the exception to the sixty per cent rule.

In track all boys who earn a total of ten points in inter-school competition in one season will qualify to receive a letter. Relay team members are individually allowed the fraction of the points won subject to coaches' opinion.

INTRAMURAL ATHLETICS

Daily, throughout the school year, intramural athletic programs for both boys and girls are offered immediately following the last class session. A variety of athletic activities as well as sports in season are presented for students. Any students may participate by reporting after school to the respective gymnasium area and the instructor in charge. All students are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to engage in either competitive or individual athletic activity. Students who remain after school for the intramural athletic program will be given a Late Bus Pass and dismissed in time to board the late buses, which depart from Paxon Hollow Junior High School at approximately 4:15 P.M. daily.

AWARDS

The following awards are presented to members of the student body at the end of the academic year:

FRESHMAN SCHOLASTIC AWARD

Presented by the faculty to a student of the 9th grade who has demonstrated superior scholastic achievement during the past school year.

WOMEN'S CLUB OF NEWTOWN SQUARE AWARDS

One award is presented to the most outstanding student in the Business Education Course in the 9th grade. Another presented to the outstanding student in Pennsylvania History.

SERVICE AWARD

A certificate of merit will be awarded to students rendering special service to the school.

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